

## NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

### NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

[R07-449]

- 1. Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations  
**Chapter and its heading:** 10, Board of Cosmetology  
**Article and its heading:** 1, General Provisions; 3, Students  
**Section numbers:** R4-10-112, R4-10-301, R4-10-303, R4-10-304, and 4-10-306

**2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**

Portions of A.A.C. R4-10-112 were written to clarify and simplify infection protection procedures while increasing safe practices which will benefit both the licensees and clients. New procedures and machines are being introduced into the realm of this profession, and it behooves the Board to broaden the scope of practice so the licensees may take advantage of these procedures and offer the public a safe and educated arena in which to receive services. To that end, the rules are changed to allow for educational and practice opportunities. Cross-over hours were also expanded offering increased opportunities to those wishing additional education.

**3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**

None

**4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**

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**5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**

No public hearing is planned for this rulemaking; however, oral proceedings may be requested by contacting the person listed in item 4 by telephone, fax, e-mail, or in person. Interested persons may submit oral or written comments on the proposed rules Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except state holidays, via telephone, fax, e-mail, or in person to the person listed in item 4.

**6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action in the proceeding:**

None